

173rd Airborne Brigade Association Quarterly Meeting

- Chapter 18, MEETING MINUTES, 1300hrs
- 11 June 2011, VFW Post 9265, Oklahoma City, OK 73119
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- Meeting was brought to order by Pres. Don Walton.
- Pledge of Allegiance to the flag was rendered by all members present, Don Walton Pres., Ed Perkins VP., Richard Perez Chap, Gene Bland Sec., Bob Gardner, Ed Wilson
- Chaplin Perez cited the opening prayer.
- Treasurer Crelling was absent report not given.
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- The old minutes were read by Sec. Bland. Minutes were accepted as read.
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- The floor was opened to old business:
 - 1. Members are to forward info for business cards to Paul Mauldin, hpm1@swbell.com .
 - 2. The further discussion of a Chapter 18 Coin was floored. (see new business)
 - 3. No action on separation of funds for the "Carl Baldwin Memorial Scholarship",
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- The floor was opened for new business:
 - 1. . Member needs to attend board meeting at convention, San Antonio, TX. 22-26 June 2011 to vote on amending BYLAW , Article 6. Amendment discussed with members all agreed that the proposed changed be given a positive vote. Gene Bland selected to represent
 - 2. Discussion of the Chapter Coin (from old business): Back Side of coin. Chapter name on outer perimeter, centered outline of state with "arrows to atoms" symbol in the middle.
 - 3. Suggestion floored to postpone ring raffle until next meeting. Motion carried.
 - 4. 50/50 drawing conducted \$35.00 raised. Drawing won by Bob Gardner whom promptly donated winnings \$17.50 back to Chapter.
 - 5. \$65.00 has been collected since last meeting for the sale of St. Michaels Medals, to be forwarded to Treasurer.
 - 6. Motion floored for the appointment of Chapter Quartermaster. Bob Gardner volunteered for the post and was promptly appointed.
 - 7. Meeting was adjourned at 15:03.
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- The next scheduled meetings are as noted below:
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- August 13, 2011, at:
 - VFW Post 5263 General Lesley J. Mc Nair Post103 NE 20th St, Lawton, OK 73507Phone: (580) 248-0713
 - Lawton VFW Post 5263
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- October 8, 2011, 1300hrs at:
 - VFW Post 1317 Melvon Carnes Memorial Post811 E Macarthur St, Shawnee, OK 74804Phone: (405) 273-7098 or 273-3600
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- December 10, 2011, 1300hrs at:
 - VFW Post 9265 A J "Rock" Hudson Post4605 S Pennsylvania Ave, Oklahoma City, OK

